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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Notice of Opposition

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

Opposer Information

Name	Zendesk, Inc.
Granted to Date of previous extension	06/26/2013
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Applicant Information

Application No	85736477	Publication date	02/26/2013
Opposition Filing Date	06/19/2013	Opposition Period Ends	06/26/2013
Applicant	zenbilling, LLC 302 Washington St. #150-1142 San Diego, CA 92103 UNITED STATES		

Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 042. First Use: 2010/06/01 First Use In Commerce: 2010/06/01

All goods and services in the class are opposed, namely: Software as a service (SAAS) services featuring software for use in lead management, sales administration, billing, subscription management, participant management, and delivery of online video, audio, and live content, for businesses in the field of personal development, skill development, and business development

Grounds for Opposition

Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act section 2(d)
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Mark Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

U.S. Registration No.	3818497	Application Date	01/16/2009
Registration Date	07/13/2010	Foreign Priority Date	07/17/2008
Word Mark	ZENDESK		

Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 009. First use:
	[Recorded and downloadable computer software, namely, computer software for business management, database management, customer service management and management of customer relations; software for electronic communications] * Recorded and downloadable computer software, namely, computer software for business information and communications management, business database management, customer service management and management of customer relations all of the foregoing directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; software for electronic communications within businesses and between businesses and their customers, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality *
	Class 035. First use:
	Assistance in business management and business administration; compilation and systematization of information into computer databases; business information provided through local and global computer networks; rental of advertising space on the internet; retail store and on-line retail store services featuring computer software Class 038. First use:
	Telecommunications, namely, transmission of communications, information and data through local and global computer networks; communication services, namely, transmission of voice, audio, visual images and data by local and global computer networks; rental of access time to global computer networks, namely, providing telecommunications access to databases relating to management of customer relationships
	Class 042. First use:
	[Computer programming; design, development and customization of computer software; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software, namely, graphical user interface software for use in managing customer relationships] * Computer programming in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; design, development and customization of computer software in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software, namely, graphical user interface software for use in managing customer relationships, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality *

Attachments	Zendesk-Zenbilling Notice of Opposition (F Complete 6.19.13).pdf(355863 bytes

Certificate of Service

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of this paper has been served upon all parties, at their address record by First Class Mail on this date.

Signature	/Miguel Danielson/	
Name	Miguel C. Danielson	
Date	06/19/2013	

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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Zendesk, Inc.)
Opposer,) Opposition No.:
)
V.) Application No. 85736477
zenbilling, LLC)
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Applicant	
)

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Zendesk, Inc., a Delaware corporation with a business address of 989 Market Street, Suite 300, San Francisco, CA 94103 ("Opposer"), believes that it will be damaged by the registration of the mark ZENBILLING, which is the subject of United States Trademark Application No. 85736477, held in the name of zenbilling, LLC ("Applicant"), and hereby opposes the registration of said mark. Opposer is misidentified in U.S. Registration No. 3818497 as a Massachusetts Corporation due to a clerical error of the International Bureau of the World Intellectual Property Organization; a request for correction has been duly filed and is now pending with the International Bureau.

As grounds for opposition, it is alleged that:

1. Applicant seeks to register the trademark ZENBILLING for "Software as a service (SAAS) services featuring software for use in lead management, sales administration, billing, subscription management, participant management, and delivery of online video, audio, and live content, for businesses in the field of personal development, skill development, and business development," in Class 42.

- 2. The opposed application was filed on September 24, 2012, claiming a date of first use and a date of first use in commerce of June 1, 2010, under Section 1(a) of the Trademark Act.
- 3. Opposer is owner of United States Registered Extension of Protection, Reg. No. 3818497 (the "Registration"), under Section 66(a) of the Trademark Act for the mark ZENDESK in connection with "computer programming in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; design, development and customization of computer software in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software, namely, graphical user interface software for use in managing customer relationships, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality," in Class 42, and "Assistance in business management and business administration; compilation and systematization of information into computer databases; business information provided through local and global computer networks; rental of advertising space on the internet; retail store and on-line retail store services featuring computer software," in Class 35. The foregoing Registration was filed based on International Registration No. 1001362 and claims Paris Convention priority to Denmark Trademark Application No.

VA200802820, filed on July 17, 2008. Accordingly, Opposer's rights in the ZENDESK mark, in connection with the aforementioned services, enjoy priority as of such date. A copy of the TSDR database printout showing the current title and status of the mark is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

- 4. Opposer, or its predecessor in interest, is the owner of common law rights accrued in the ZENDESK mark as used in connection with the above-referenced services as well as additional goods and services, such rights having accrued prior to Applicant's filing date.
- 5. Opposer's services as identified in its above-listed Registration, and as may exist at common law, are closely related to, and similar in nature to, the services identified in Application Serial No. 85736477. On information and belief, Opposer's services and Applicant's services are offered to the same classes of customers through the same channels of trade.
- 6. Applicant's applied-for mark is substantially and confusingly similar to Opposer's mark ZENDESK. Use of the applied-for mark by Applicant for the services identified in Application Serial No. 85736477 will be likely to cause confusion, mistake, and/or deception of the relevant trade and public. Customers and potential customers are likely to believe that Applicant's services offered under the applied-for mark emanate from, or are licensed or approved by, Opposer, when that is not the case. Such confusion, mistake, and/or deception would be a source of damage to Opposer.
- 7. Because Applicant's applied-for mark is likely to cause confusion with Opposer's above-identified mark ZENDESK, Applicant's mark should be refused registration under Section 2(d) of the Trademark Act.

8. If Applicant is granted the registration herein opposed, it would thereby obtain a *prima facie* right to exclusive use of the applied-for mark, which would be a further source of damage to Opposer.

WHEREFORE, Opposer believes that it will be damaged by registration of said mark, and prays that this Opposition be sustained, that Application Serial No. 85736477 be rejected, and that the mark applied for therein be refused registration.

Respectfully submitted,

ZENDESK, INC.

By:

Miguel C. Danielson Attorney for Opposer DANIELSON LEGAL LLC 1 Mifflin Place, Ste 400 Cambridge, MA 02138

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Exhibit A

TSDR Printout of ZENDESK Registration No. 3818497

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Mark: ZENDESK

ZENDESK

US Serial Number: 79068289 Application Filing Date: Jan. 16, 2009
US Registration Number: 3818497 Registration Date: Jul. 13, 2010

Register: Principal

Mark Type: Trademark, Service Mark

Status: Registered. The registration date is used to determine when post-registration maintenance documents are due.

Status Date: Jul. 13, 2010

Publication Date: Mar. 23, 2010

Mark Information

Mark Literal Elements: ZENDESK

Standard Character Claim: Yes. The mark consists of standard characters without claim to any particular font style, size, or color.

Mark Drawing Type: 4 - STANDARD CHARACTER MARK

Related Properties Information

International Registration 1001362

Number:

International Registration Jan. 16, 2009

Date:

Goods and Services

Note: The following symbols indicate that the registrant/owner has amended the goods/services:

• Brackets [..] indicate deleted goods/services;

• Double parenthesis ((..)) identify any goods/services not claimed in a Section 15 affidavit of

Asterisks $^{\star}..^{\star}$ identify additional (new) wording in the goods/services.

For: [Recorded and downloadable computer software, namely, computer software for business management, database management, customer service management and management of customer relations; software for electronic communications] * Recorded and downloadable computer software, namely, computer software for business information and communications management, business database management, customer service management and management of customer relations all of the foregoing directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; software for electronic communications within businesses and between businesses and their customers, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality *

International Class(es): 009 - Primary Class U.S Class(es): 021, 023, 026, 036, 038

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 66(a)

For: Assistance in business management and business administration; compilation and systematization of information into computer databases; business information provided through local and global computer networks; rental of advertising space on the internet; retail

store and on-line retail store services featuring computer software

International Class(es): 035 - Primary Class U.S Class(es): 100, 101, 102

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 66(a)

For: Telecommunications, namely, transmission of communications, information and data through local and global computer networks; communication services, namely, transmission of voice, audio, visual images and data by local and global computer networks; rental of access time to global computer networks, namely, providing telecommunications access to databases relating to management of

customer relationships

International Class(es): 038 - Primary Class U.S Class(es): 100, 101, 104

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 66(a)

For: [Computer programming; design, development and customization of computer software; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software, namely, graphical user interface software for use in managing customer relationships] * Computer programming in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; design, development and customization of computer software in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software, namely, graphical user

interface software for use in managing customer relationships, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer

U.S Class(es): 100, 101

relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality *

International Class(es): 042 - Primary Class

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 66(a)

Basis Information (Case Level)

 Filed Use:
 No
 Amended Use:
 No

 Filed ITU:
 No
 Currently ITU:
 No
 Amended ITU:
 No

 Filed 44D:
 No
 Currently 44D:
 No
 Amended 44D:
 No

 Filed 44E:
 No
 Amended 44E:
 No

Filed 66A: Yes Currently 66A: Yes
Filed No Basis: No Currently No Basis: No

Current Owner(s) Information

Owner Name: Zendesk, Inc.

Owner Address: 989 Market St. Ste 300

San Francisco CA 94103 UNITED STATES

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION State or Country Where MASSACHUSETTS

Organized:

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Prosecution History

Date	Description	Proceeding Number
Jun. 01, 2013	CHANGE OF NAME/ADDRESS REC'D FROM IB	
May 25, 2013	PARTIAL INVALIDATION OF REG EXT PROTECTION CREATED	
Feb. 12, 2013	FINAL DECISION TRANSACTION PROCESSED BY IB	
Sep. 25, 2012	AMENDMENT UNDER SECTION 7 - ISSUED	73376
Aug. 28, 2012	CASE ASSIGNED TO POST REGISTRATION PARALEGAL	73376
Aug. 27, 2012	TEAS SECTION 7 REQUEST RECEIVED	
Nov. 02, 2010	FINAL DISPOSITION NOTICE SENT TO IB	
Nov. 02, 2010	FINAL DISPOSITION PROCESSED	72589
Oct. 13, 2010	FINAL DISPOSITION NOTICE CREATED, TO BE SENT TO IB	
Jul. 16, 2010	ATTORNEY REVOKED AND/OR APPOINTED	
Jul. 16, 2010	TEAS REVOKE/APPOINT ATTORNEY RECEIVED	
Jul. 13, 2010	REGISTERED-PRINCIPAL REGISTER	
Jun. 07, 2010	EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE PROCESS - TERMINATED	
Apr. 20, 2010	EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE RECEIVED	
Mar. 23, 2010	PUBLISHED FOR OPPOSITION	

Mar. 03, 2010	NOTICE OF PUBLICATION	
Feb. 17, 2010	LAW OFFICE PUBLICATION REVIEW COMPLETED	66213
Feb. 04, 2010	ASSIGNED TO LIE	66213
Jan. 12, 2010	APPROVED FOR PUB - PRINCIPAL REGISTER	
Dec. 14, 2009	TEAS/EMAIL CORRESPONDENCE ENTERED	88889
Dec. 14, 2009	CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED IN LAW OFFICE	88889
Dec. 14, 2009	TEAS RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION RECEIVED	
Sep. 18, 2009	CHANGE OF OWNER RECEIVED FROM IB	
Jul. 24, 2009	REFUSAL PROCESSED BY IB	
Jun. 16, 2009	NON-FINAL ACTION MAILED - REFUSAL SENT TO IB	
Jun. 16, 2009	REFUSAL PROCESSED BY MPU	74217
Jun. 14, 2009	NON-FINAL ACTION (IB REFUSAL) PREPARED FOR REVIEW	
Jun. 13, 2009	NON-FINAL ACTION WRITTEN	74301
Jun. 09, 2009	APPLICATION FILING RECEIPT MAILED	
Jun. 05, 2009	ASSIGNED TO EXAMINER	74301
Jun. 05, 2009	NEW APPLICATION OFFICE SUPPLIED DATA ENTERED IN TRAM	
Jun. 04, 2009	SN ASSIGNED FOR SECT 66A APPL FROM IB	

International Registration Information (Section 66a)

International Registration 1001362

Number:

International Registration Jan. 16, 2009

Date:

Priority Claimed Flag: Yes

Date of Section 67 Priority Jul. 17, 2008

Claim:

Intl. Registration Status: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF PROTECTION

PROCESSED

Date of International Jun. 04, 2009

Registration Status:

Notification of Jun. 04, 2009

Designation Date:

Date of Automatic Dec. 04, 2010

Protection:

International Registration Jan. 16, 2019

Renewal Date:

First Refusal Flag: Yes

Maintenance Filings or Post Registration Information

Change in Registration: Yes

Amendment to a In the Statement, lines 4-7, "Recorded and downloadable computer software, namely, computer software for business management, Registration/Renewal database management, customer service management and management of customer relations; software for electronic communications" is deleted, and, "Recorded and downloadable computer software, namely, computer software for business information and communications management, business database management, customer service management and management of customer relations all of the foregoing directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; software for electronic communications within businesses and between businesses and their customers, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality" is inserted, and, In the Statement, lines, 21-27, "Computer programming; design. development and customization of computer software; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks; providing temporary use of on-line nondownloadable software, namely, graphical user interface software for use in managing customer relationships" is deleted, and, "Computer programming in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; design, development and customization of computer software in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; rental of computer programs or applications software which enables the compilation and processing of data for central database through local and global networks directed to the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality; providing temporary use of on-line non-downloadable software, namely, graphical user interface software for use in managing customer relationships, all of the foregoing in the fields of customer support, customer relationship management, customer service, customer engagement, and helpdesk functionality" is inserted.

TM Staff and Location Information

TM Staff Information - None

File Location

Current Location: POST REGISTRATION Date in Location: Sep. 25, 2012

Assignment Abstract Of Title Information

Summary

Total Assignments: 2 Registrant: Zendesk Inc. Assignment 1 of 2

Conveyance: ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 4064/0731 Pages: 2

Date Recorded: Sep. 18, 2009

Supporting Documents: assignment-tm-4064-0731.pdf

Assignor

 Name:
 ZENDESK APS
 Execution Date:
 Aug. 31, 2009

 Legal Entity Type:
 UNKNOWN
 State or Country Where
 DENMARK

Organized:

Assignee

Name: ZENDESK, INC.

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION OF THE STATE OF

MASSACHUSETTS, USA

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Assignment 2 of 2

Conveyance: CHANGE OF ADDRESS

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Date Recorded: Jun. 01, 2013

Supporting Documents: assignment-tm-5037-0863.pdf

Assignor

 Name:
 ZENDESK, INC.
 Execution Date:
 May 07, 2013

 Legal Entity Type:
 UNKNOWN
 State or Country Where
 UNITED STATES

Organized:

Assignee

Name: ZENDESK, INC.

Legal Entity Type: NOT PROVIDED State or Country Where NOT PROVIDED

Organized:

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Proceedings

Summary

Number of Proceedings: 2

Type of Proceeding: Opposition

 Proceeding Number:
 91210613
 Filing Date:
 May 08, 2013

 Status:
 Pending
 Status Date:
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ZENDESK	Registered	79068289	3818497

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1	FILED AND FEE	May 08, 2013	
2	NOTICE AND TRIAL DATES SENT; ANSWER DUE:	May 15, 2013	Jun 24, 2013
3	PENDING, INSTITUTED	May 15, 2013	
4	STIP FOR EXT	Jun 06, 2013	
5	EXTENSION OF TIME GRANTED	Jun 06, 2013	
	Type of Dreseed	ing, Extension of Time	

Type of Proceeding: Extension of Time

Proceeding Number: 79068289 Filing Date: Apr 20, 2010

> Status: Terminated Status Date: Jun 07, 2010

Interlocutory Attorney:

Defendant

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Correspondent Address: Zacco Denmark A/S

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Asso	ciated	marks

Mark	Application Status	Serial Number	Registration Number
ZENDESK	Registered	79068289	<u>3818497</u>
Potential Oppo	ser(s)		

Name: Citrix Systems, Inc.

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1	INCOMING - EXT TIME TO OPPOSE FILED	Apr 20, 2010	
2	EXTENSION OF TIME GRANTED	Apr 20, 2010	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Miguel Danielson, hereby certify that on this 19th day of June, 2013, a true and correct copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF OPPOSITION has been served, by First Class U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to:

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